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DATE

September 30, 1987

TIME

7:00-7:30 PM CBS

NETWORK

PROGRAM Evening News

Dan Rather, anchor:

President Reagan today personally attacked the credibility of Washington Post reporter Bob Woodward. He blasted Woodward's new book about the late CIA director and Reagan confidente, William Casey. Among other things, Woodward quotes Casey as calling Reagan "lazy and indecisive." (Filmed report)

Mr. Reagan again denied authorizing Casey to work up any revenge bomb squad in Lebanon, and he said it was unlikely Casey was carrying out any secret operations behind his back.